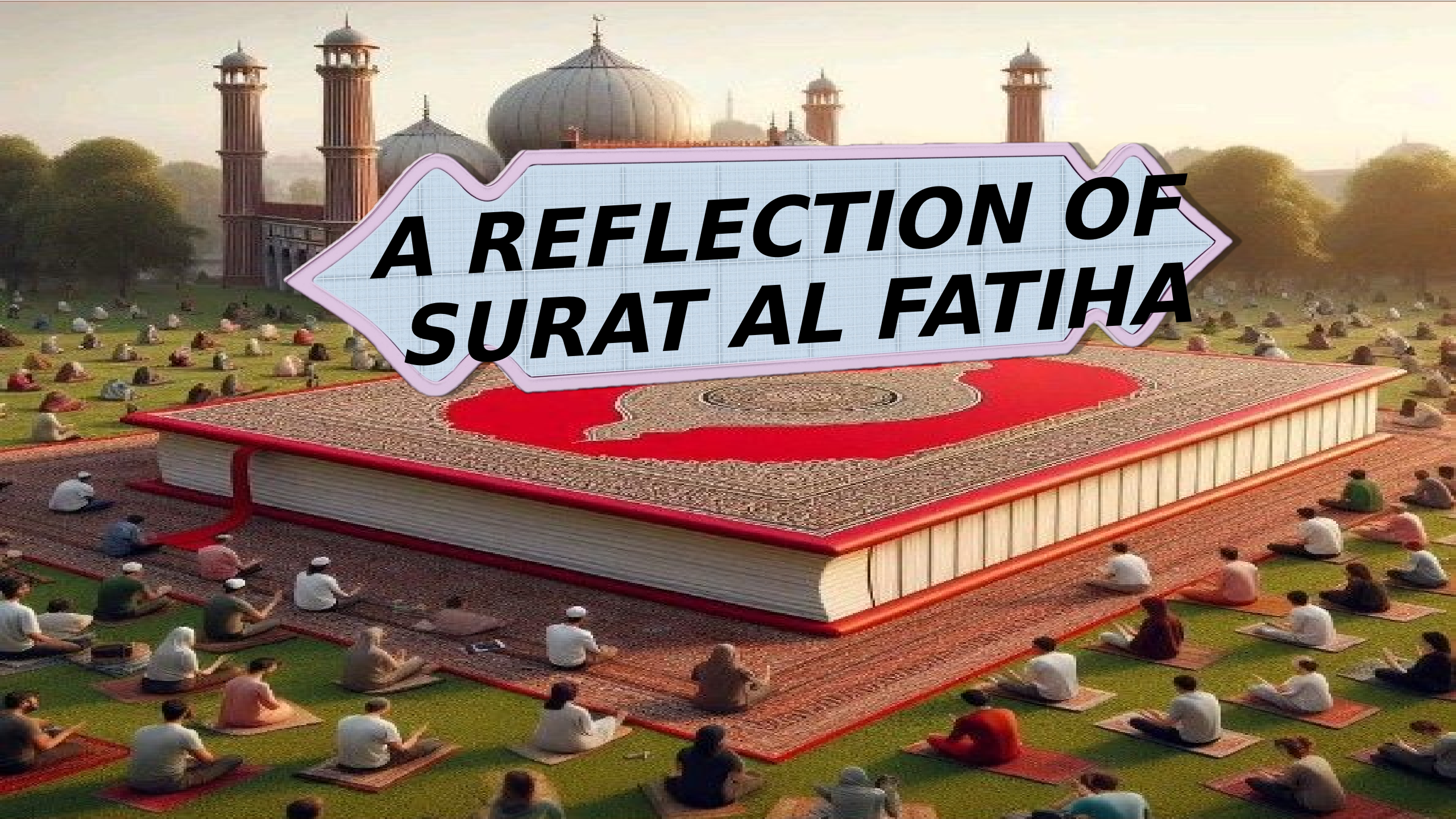


A large, open book with a red and gold cover lies flat on a green lawn. The book's pages are filled with intricate gold patterns, and a large, vibrant red shape, resembling a stylized crescent and star, is prominently displayed on the right-hand page. The book is surrounded by numerous people, mostly men, sitting on small mats or directly on the grass, facing the book in a prayerful or contemplative posture. In the background, a large mosque with multiple domes and minarets stands under a soft, golden light, suggesting the time is either dawn or dusk. The overall scene conveys a sense of communal worship and reflection.

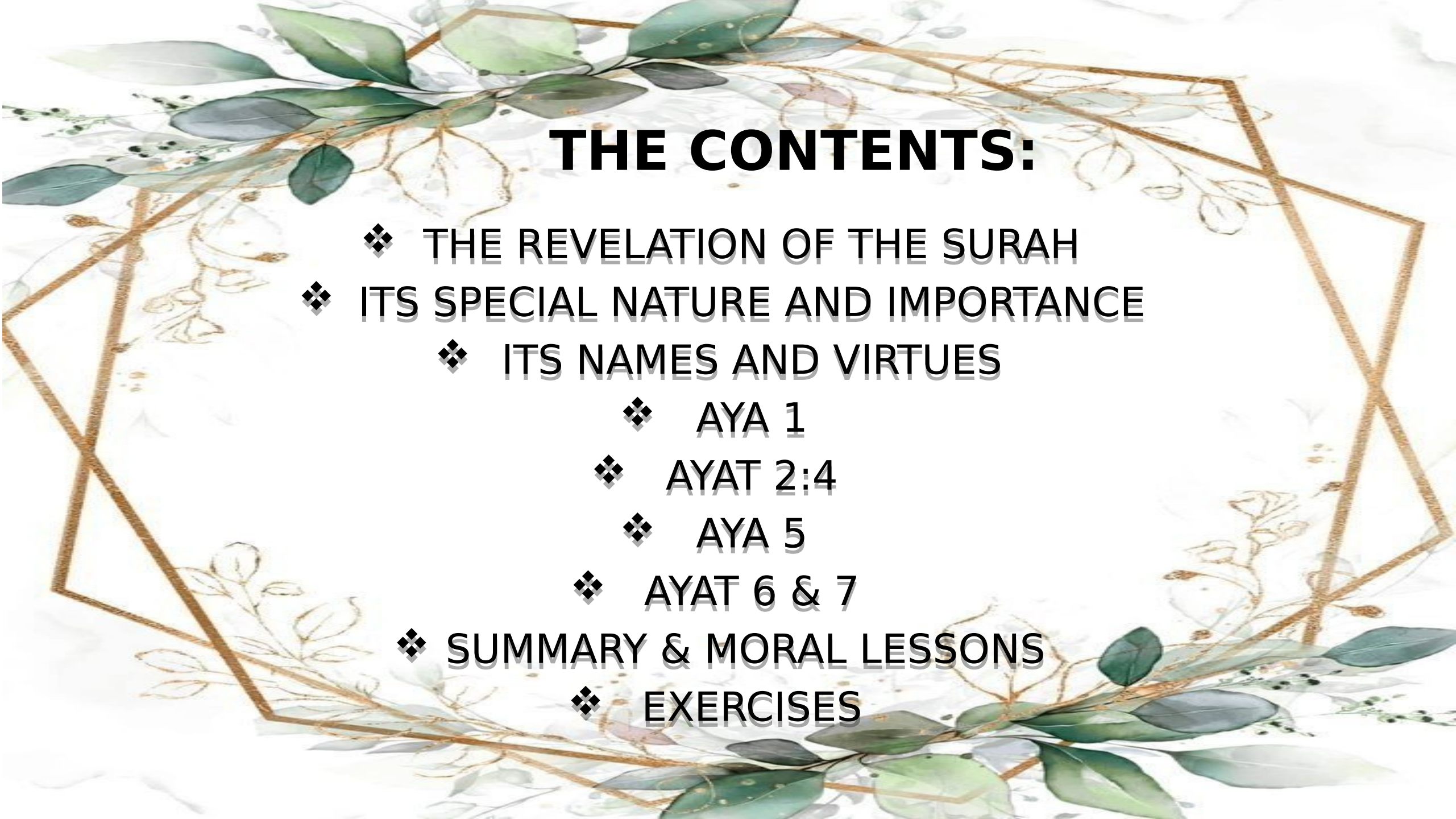
A REFLECTION OF SURAT AL FATIHA



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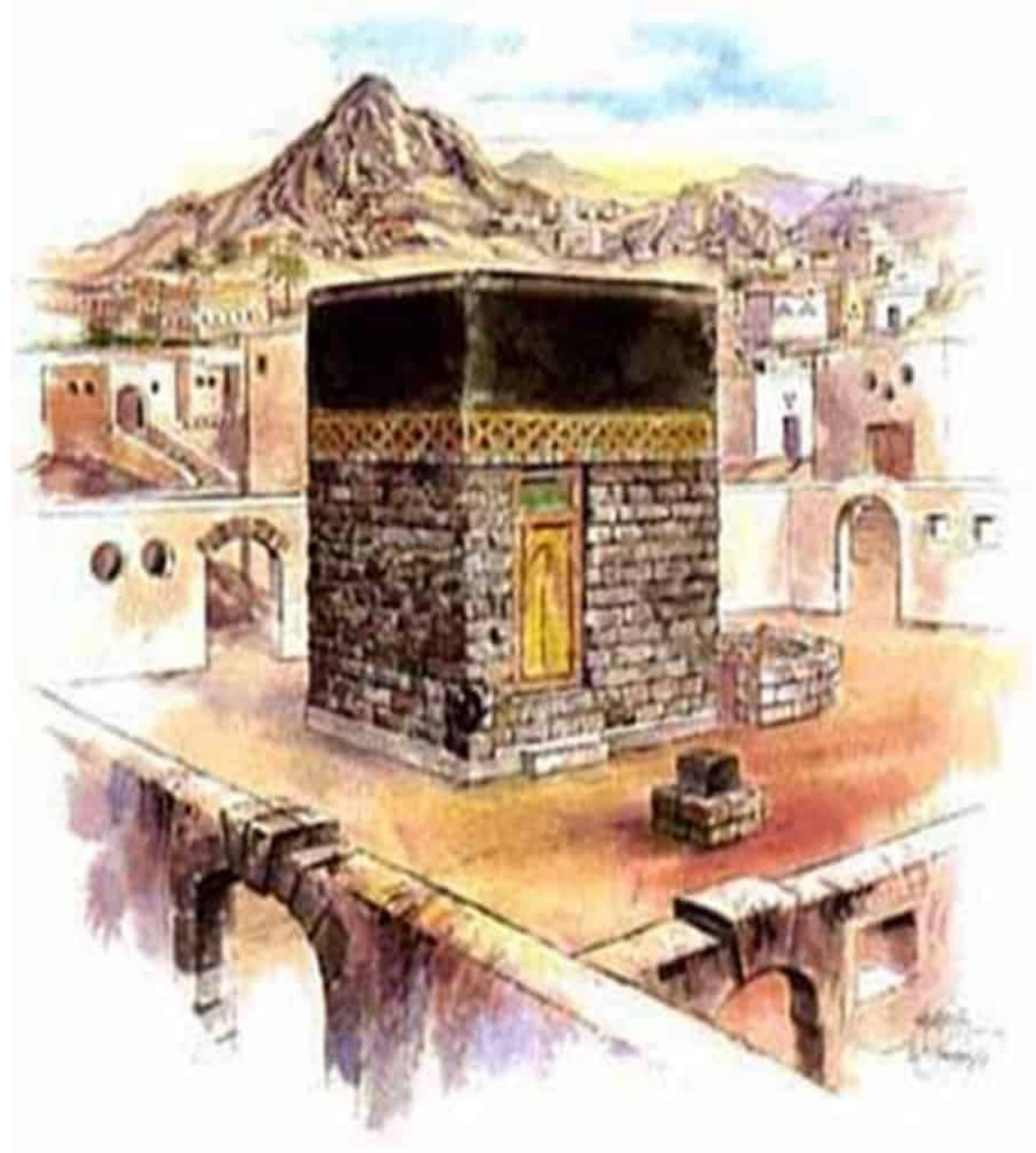
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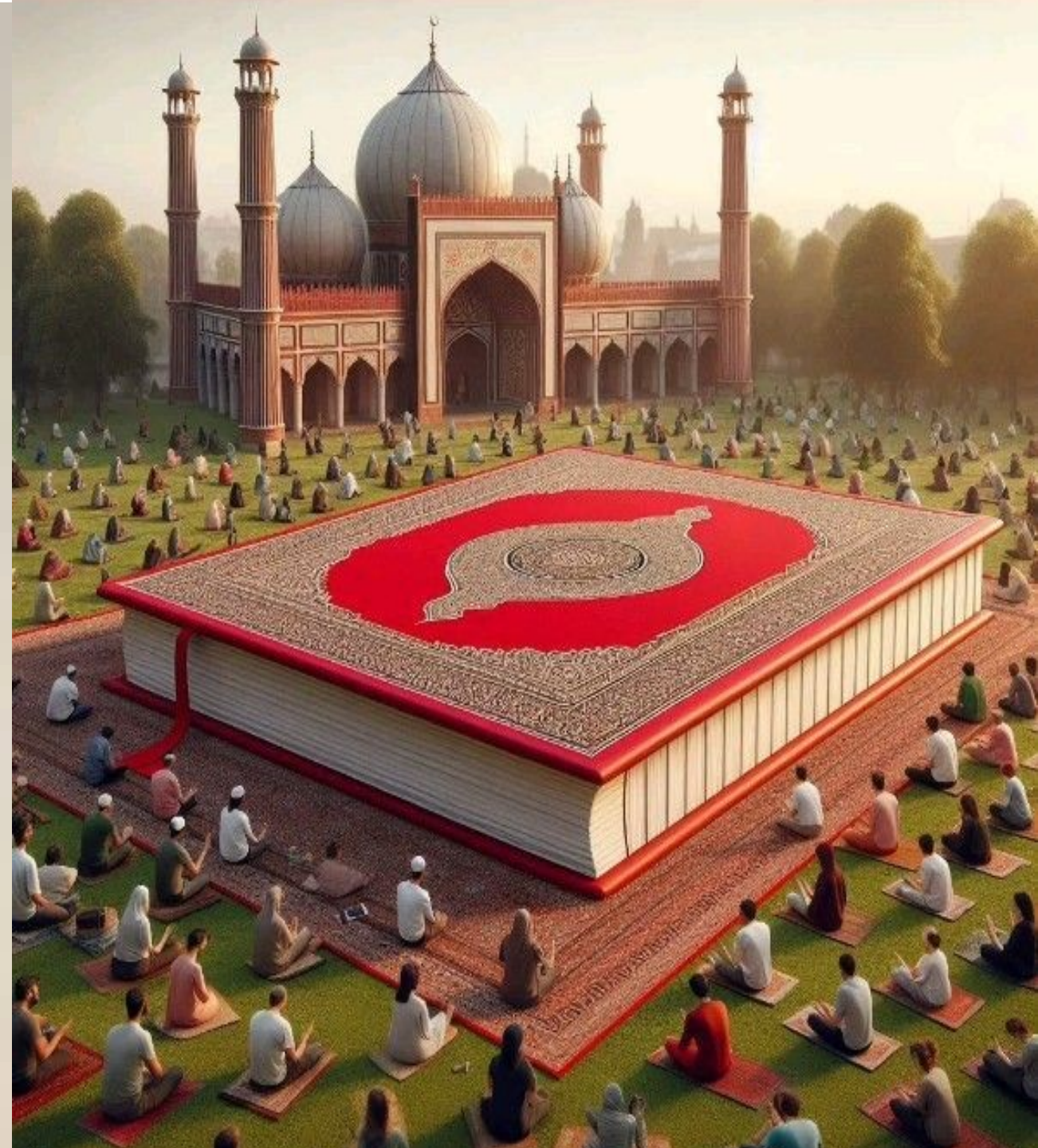
It's likely to be revealed in Mecca as there's a reference to it in surat Al Hijr: "وَلَقَدْ عَلَّمْنَاكَ سَبْعًا مِنَ الْمَثَانِي وَالْقُرْآنَ الْعَظِيمَ" We granted you seven of the oft-repeated verses and the holy



It has a special nature that differentiates it from the other suar. It isn't a legislative or a faith-related one rather it's a gift from Allah to his servants to teach them how to seek refuge, start their works, and appreciate the attributes of Allah who is the only worthy worship and so the



So, it's called the opening of suar, the mother of the book, and the seven oft-repeated verses. It equals two-thirds of the whole Quran in virtue. Reciting it in praying is compulsory.



بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ
الرَّحِيمِ ۱

1 In the name
of Allah, the
All-Merciful,
the Bestower
of mercy.



لِلْحَمْدِ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ
لِغُلَامَيْنِ ۲

لِلرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ
۳ مُلْكُ يَوْمَ يُنْفَخُ
All praise be to
Allah, Lord of all

realms, 3 the
merciful, the
Bestower of
mercy 4 Master of



إِيَّاكَ نَعْبُدُ وَإِيَّاكَ

سَتَعِينُ ٥

5 It is You we
worship, and
it is You we
call for help.



هٰدِنَا
لِصِّرَاطٍ مُسْتَقِيمٍ ٦
لَّذِينَ أَنْعَمْتَ
عَلَيْهِمْ غَيْرِ الْمَغْضُوبِ عَلَيْهِمْ
وَلَا الضَّالِّينَ ٧
6 Guide us to the
straight path: 7 the
path of those You
have blessed, not
those who have
incurred (Your)
wrath, nor those who



Benefits of Surat Al-Fatiha in Our Lives

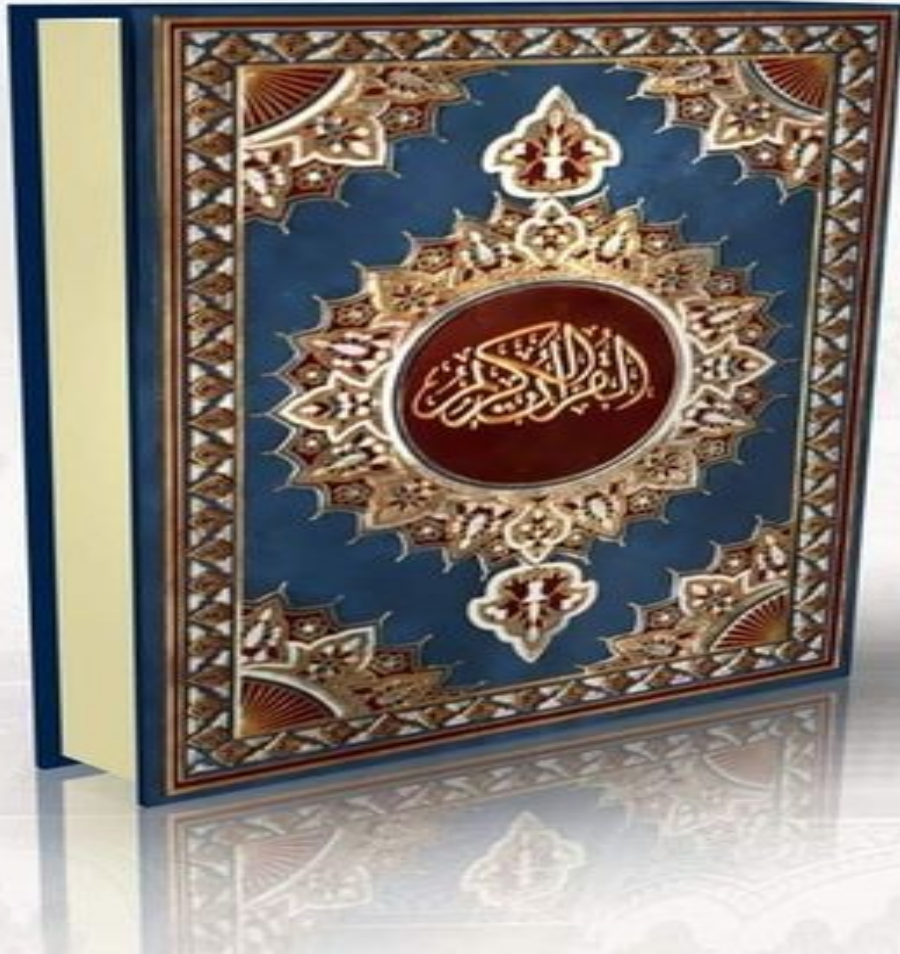
- 1- Foundation of Prayer: Essential for establishing a connection with Allah, recited in every unit of Salah.
- 2- Guidance: Serves as a plea for divine direction in daily decisions.
- 3- Appreciation of Attributes: Encourages gratitude by reflecting on Allah's mercy and compassion.
- 4- Worship and Reliance: Reminds us to prioritize worship and trust in Allah's support.
- 5- Self-Reflection: Prompts personal assessment of actions and intentions.
- 6- Seeking Refuge: Teaches awareness of misguided paths to make righteous choices.
- 7- Unity in Worship: Fosters community and camaraderie among Muslims.
- 8- Daily Application: Encourages



THINK
WITH
ME!



1- What is Surat Al-Fatiha commonly known as?



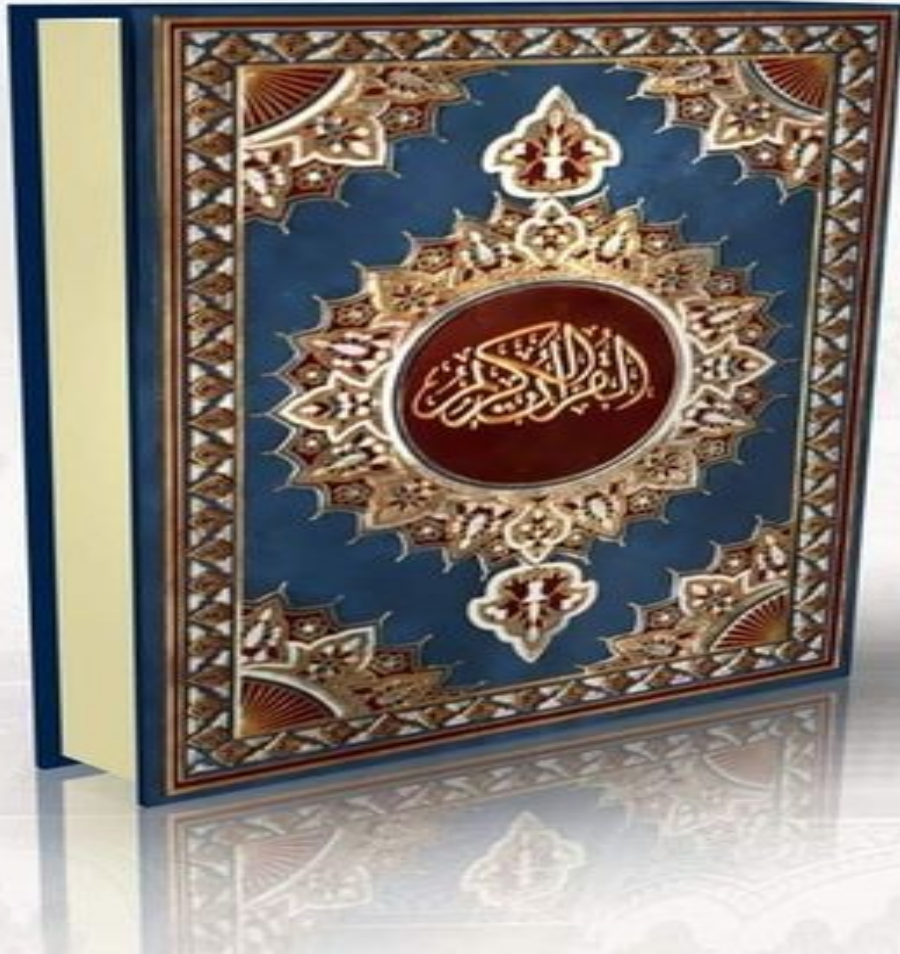
- A) The Final Revelation
- B) The Opening
- C) The Last Testament
- D) The Divine Message

Answer!

B) The
Openin
g



2- Which verse of Surat Al-Fatiha is an explicit plea for guidance?



A- Verse 1

B- Verse 3

C- Verse 5

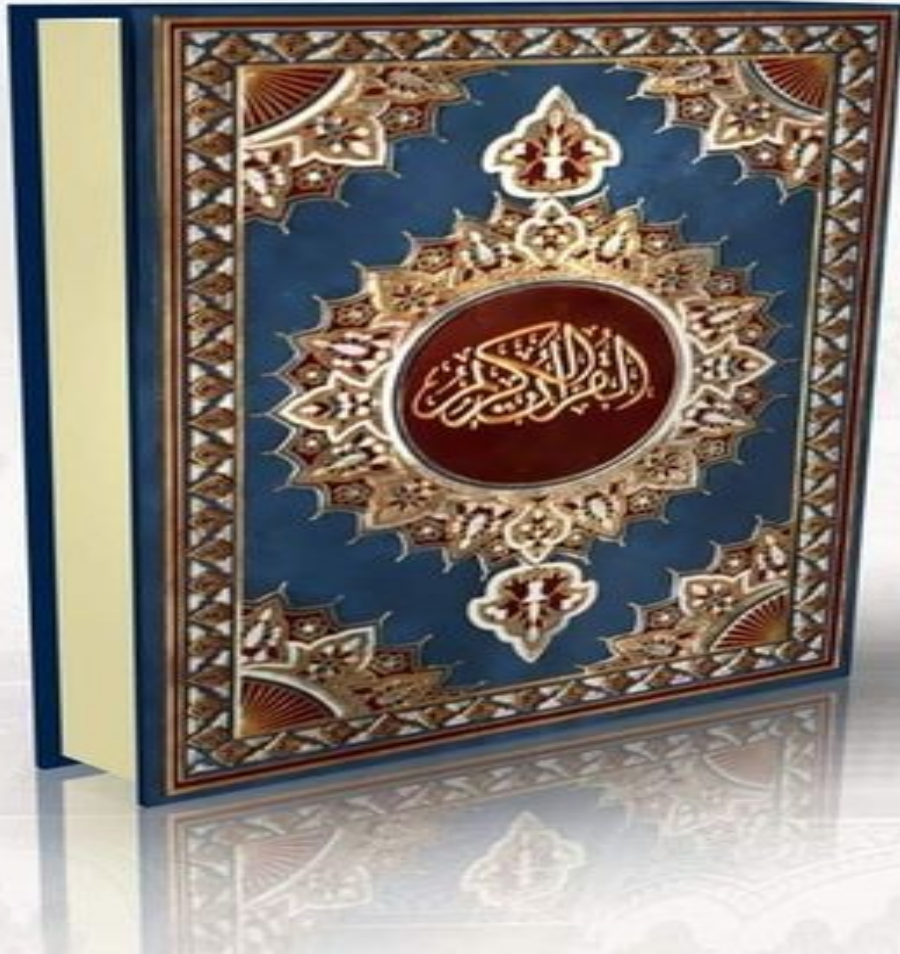
D- Verse 6

Answer:

D)
Verse 6



3- How many verses
are there in Surat Al-
Fatiha?



A. 5

B.

6.

7.

D. 8

Answer:

C) 7



4- Surat Al-Fatiha



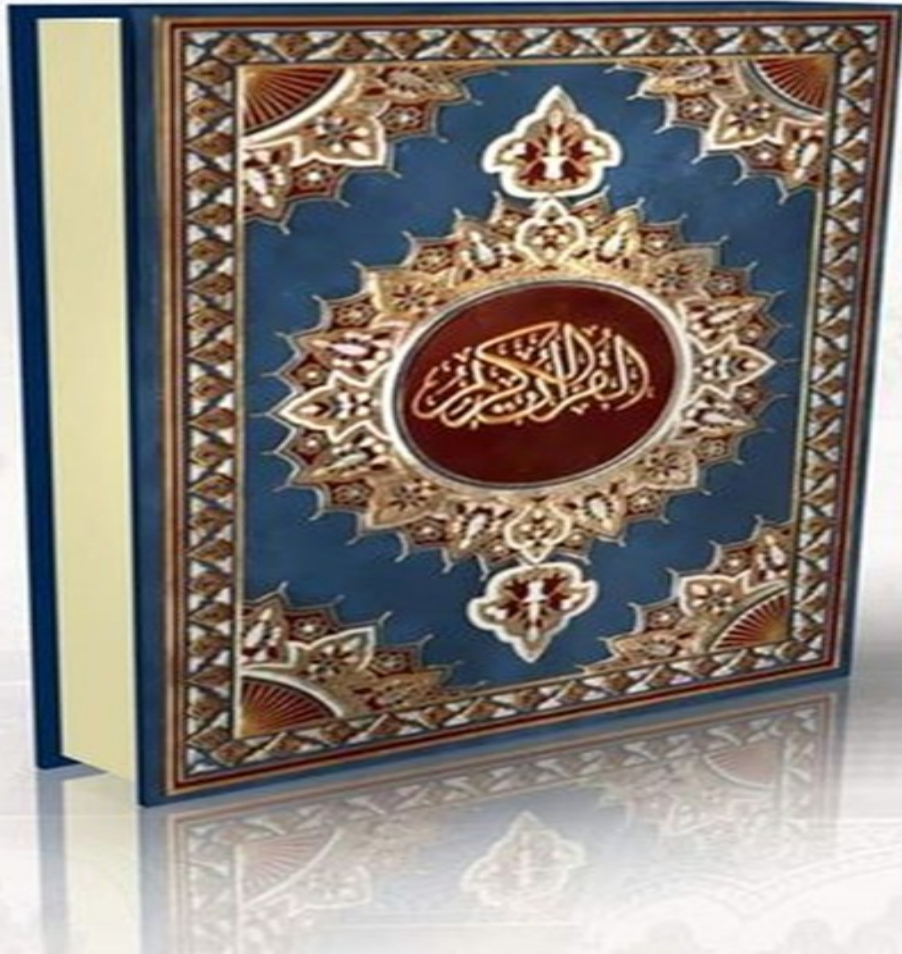
- A) Medinan
- B) Meccan
- C) Early Medinan
- D) Late Meccan

Answer:

B)
Meccan



5- What is the main purpose of Surat Al-Fatiha according to Islamic teachings?



- A) To provide legal rulings
- B) To describe historical events
- C) To seek guidance and express worship
- D) To narrate the life of the Prophet

Answer:

C) To seek
guidance
and express
worship



6- Which verse of Surat Al-Fatiha highlights Allah's mercy and compassion?



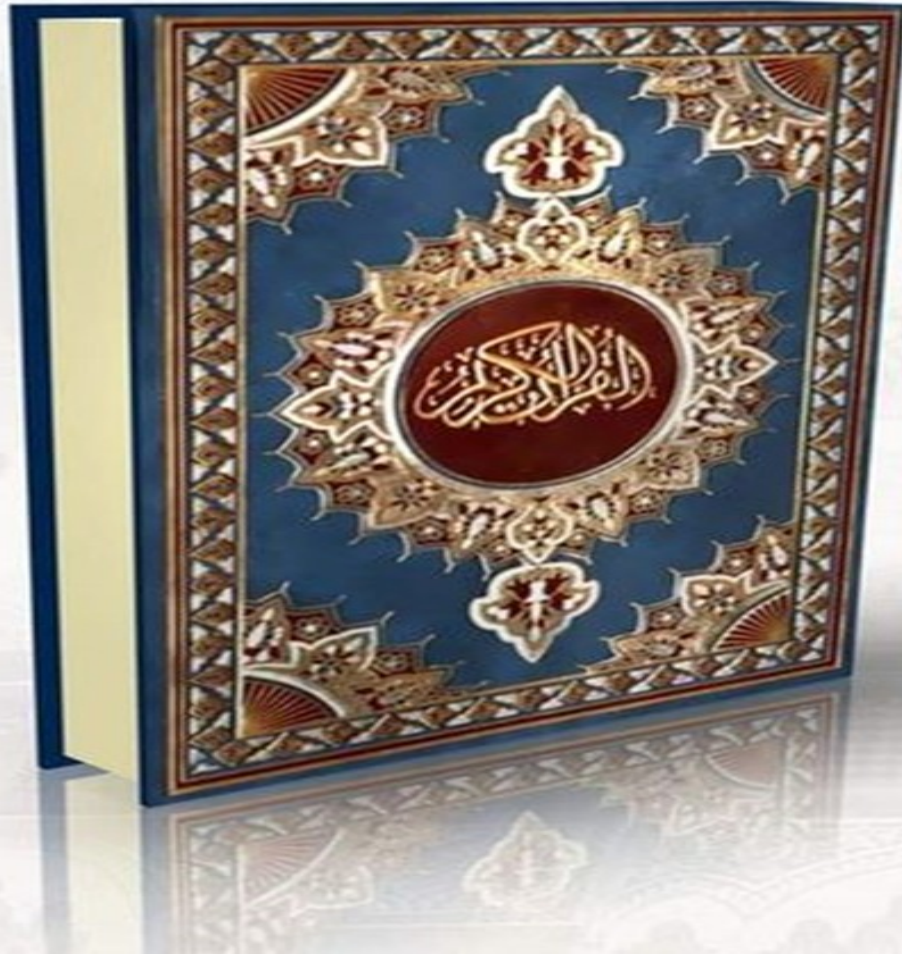
- A. VERSE 1
- B. VERSE 2
- C. VERSE 4
- D. VERSE 7

Answer:

A) Verse
1



7- What is one of the key benefits of reciting Surat Al-Fatiha during prayer?



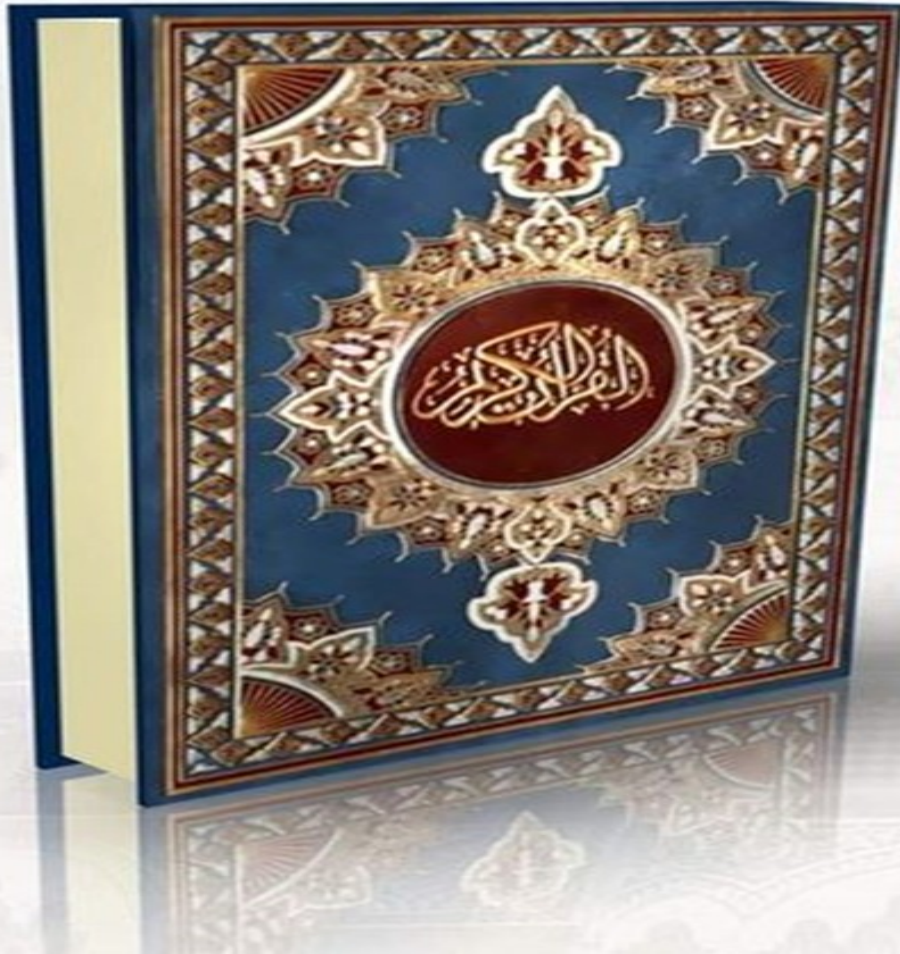
- A) It narrates the history of the Prophets
- B) It serves as a means of seeking divine guidance
- C) It outlines legal rulings
- D) It describes the creation of the universe

Answer:

B) It serves
as a means
of seeking
divine
guidance



8- Which phrase in Surat Al-Fatiha indicates the concept of worship and seeking help exclusively from Allah?



- A) "All praise be to Allah"
- B) "Master of the Day of Recompense"
- C) "It is You we worship, and it is You we call for help"
- D) "Guide us to the straight path"

Answer:

C) "It is You we
worship, and it
is You we call
for help"



9- What does Surat Al-Fatiha emphasize about the path to be followed?



- A) The path of those who have incurred Allah's Wrath
- B) The path of those who have gone astray
- C) The path of those whom Allah has blessed
- D) The path of worldly success

Answer:

C) The path
of those
whom Allah
has blessed



10- How does Surat Al-Fatiha contribute to community unity among Muslims?



- A) By providing historical accounts
- B) By encouraging collective legal decisions
- C) By being recited in every unit of Salah, fostering a shared worship experience
- D) By outlining different interpretations of religious laws

Answer:

C) By being
recited in every
unit of Salah,
fostering a
shared worship
experience



